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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Hideyuki HAYASHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/045,799

Group Art Unit: 2834

Confirmation No.: 1410

Examiner: Karl I. TAMAI

Filed: March 23, 1998

For: INSERT CONDUCTOR FOR USE IN A GENERATOR AND HAVING STRUCTURE  
FOR PREVENTING DEFORMATION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

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In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2002, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Please enter the following amended claims:**

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1. (Amended) An insert conductor comprising:  
a conductor having a wiring section which includes a plurality of wires, an outer frame surrounding the wiring section, and connections which connect said outer frame and said wiring section and which interconnect said wires; and  
a deformation preventer which is provided on said conductor such that the deformation preventer extends over at least end portions of said wires and which is operable to prevent at least the end portions of the wires from being deformed by a resin injection pressure applied during insert resin molding.